

STATE OF VERMONT
Executive Department

EXECUTIVE ORDER

WHEREAS, on May 27, 2011, there exists an emergency within the State, to wit: wide spread flooding throughout the State of Vermont, to include but not limited to the following counties: Washington, Orange, Essex, Lamoille, Caledonia, Rutland, Orleans and Chittenden.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Peter Shumlin, Governor of the State of Vermont, under and by virtue of the Authority vested in me by the Constitution of Laws of the State of Vermont, including Chapter II, Section 20, of the Constitution of the State of Vermont, and Title 20 VSA 601 and 603, do hereby order as follows:

SEC.(1) The National Guard of the State of Vermont is called out.

SEC.(2) The Adjutant General of the State of Vermont is authorized and directed to take all appropriate steps to alleviate hardship and suffering of citizens and communities throughout Vermont that are impacted by flooding.

SEC.(3) In furtherance of the authorization and direction contained in SEC. (2) hereof, the Adjutant General is authorized to use such of the National Guard of the State of Vermont as he may deem necessary.

SEC.(4) I hereby authorize and direct the Adjutant General to call into Active State Service, as he may deem appropriate to carry out the purpose of this Order, any and all units of the National Guard of the State of Vermont to serve for an indefinite period and until relieved by proper authority.

Dated this 27th day of May, 2011

Peter Shumlin
Governor